

## **What legal issues must be considered when adding captions to videos being shown in the classroom?**

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